

## CHOKED BURGLAR IN HARD BATTLE

Herman Kopke, a Brooklyn Grocer, Grabbed Thief Whom He Found in House and Both Tumbled Downstairs.

### THIEF TRIED TO SHOOT HIM.

Struggle Continued Until the Burglar Was Overcome—He Carried a Cane Which Was Provided with Small Electric Light.

Herman Kopke, a grocer, of No. 109 Somers street, Brooklyn, had a desperate battle early to-day with a very up-to-date burglar, whom he finally choked into submission and turned over to the police.

Shortly after midnight Kopke heard a noise in an adjoining room and got up to investigate. He tip-toed into the hall and through the door of the adjoining room and saw a man going through his trousers.

"What are you doing?" shouted the grocer. The man turned upon him and flashed a bright and dazzling light in his eyes. The grocer was dazed for a moment. The invader made a break for the stairway. He had taken only a few steps when Kopke, who is almost a giant in height, was upon him. Seizing him around the waist, Kopke threw the burglar to the floor. A violent scuffle followed. Both men tumbled downstairs, fighting and struggling as they bumped from step to step. When they reached the bottom of the stairs the big grocer grabbed the burglar's right hand as he was reaching for a revolver. Then he clasped the burglar's throat and strangled him until his struggles ceased.

By that time the noise of the struggle had attracted the attention of all the tenants in the house and people in the street, who rushed to the grocer's assistance. In a few minutes the burglar was turned over to Policeman Masterson, who took him to the station-house.

It was then found that the man, who was young and good-looking, was handsomely dressed and carried a cane which was a novel burglar's tool. The head of the cane concealed a small electric light. The batteries which furnished the light were in the hollow of the cane. When a little, almost invisible, button was touched near the head of the cane a light from six to eight candle-power was made.

There was also found in the pockets of the burglar \$30, which Kopke identified.

When arraigned in the Gates Avenue Court to-day the man described himself as Frank Smith, twenty-nine years old, of No. 39 Stone street, Brooklyn, where he had lived for four days. He came from Bridgeport. He was held for the Grand Jury.

## WOMAN DOCTOR SHOOTS BURGLAR

Grapples with Him and, Although Struck in the Face, Frees Herself and Fires Five Shots at Fleeing Marauder.

### BLOOD SPATTERS ON DOOR.

Dr. Caroline S. Marsh, of No. 78 Livingston avenue, New Brunswick, N. J., was attacked this morning by a burglar whom she found in her room. She sprang from bed, seized her revolver and commanded the man to surrender.

Instead he grappled with her and tried to seize the revolver. Miss Marsh is a wiry athletic woman and her strength and grit were equal to the burglar's.

Breaking away, he struck her in the face and darted downstairs. She pursued, firing all five shots from her revolver. Three went wild, but it is supposed two hit, for the panels of the door were splattered with blood and there were blood stains on the steps.

A woman living on the first floor, hearing the shots, ran to a neighbor's house, but Miss Marsh coolly called for the police and was dressing herself when the police arrived.

Her face was cut from the burglar's fists. She could give no accurate description of him, as the room was not lighted.

### "NEWSBOY" WORE DAMONDS.

How a Diner-Out with Three Cents Capital Earned Fare Home.

The sweetest "newsboy" who ever yelled "extreme" in New York called his wares at the entrance to the Brooklyn Bridge early this morning. With silk-lined overcoat and a diamond scarf, this elderly man took his position at the bridge. A pair of gold-rimmed spectacles added dignity to his appearance.

The stranger attracted the attention of a policeman. He said he had been out to dinner with friends and after starting for home found that he had only three cents. The pawnshops were closed, so he bought three cents worth of evening papers and started to earn his way across the bridge.

The policeman offered him a nickel, but it was refused. Finally a conductor saw two cigars protruding from the five cents for one of them. The cigar was sold and the amateur news-vender boarded his car.

It was said that he was William Morrison, once a secretary of the Exchange Board.

## MISS LIVINGSTON HURT IN HUNT.

She Is Severely Injured by Fall Due to Her Horse Hitting the Top Rail of a Fence in Making a Jump.

### MR. CLARK ALSO HURT.

Young Woman Is Taken to Sister's Home in Carriage and There Doctors Set Her Dislocated Shoulder—Find She Is Internally Injured.

Miss Maud Livingston lies seriously injured at the home of her sister, Mrs. Maxwell Stevenson, of Hempstead, L. I., having been thrown from her horse while in the Meadow Brook Hunt Club chase yesterday afternoon. Her right shoulder was dislocated and she was badly bruised, while the physicians fear there may be internal injuries.

The accident occurred on the Frank Gray Gravel estate, near Westbury. Miss Livingston is a driving horsewoman and was mounted on St. Bridget, one of W. L. Kernochan's crack timber-toppers, which she recently purchased from Mrs. Adolf Ladenburg.

With boldness the young woman put her mount to a six-foot fence, but the animal struck on the top bar. Miss Livingston was seen to shoot from the saddle. She was hurled twelve feet and was only half conscious when the other hunters rode up to assist her.

She was carried to the Kernochan trap and driven to the home of her sister, where Dr. John Mann was called. He set the dislocated shoulder and dressed her wounds. Dr. Mann said that it was hard to judge the extent of her injuries and that she might have been severely injured internally by the force of the hard fall.

F. Ambrose Clark was also thrown by his mount. He was up in a minute, however, and made light of the accident, which occurred shortly before Miss Livingston was hurt.

Miss Livingston is one of the best and bravest drivers in the Meadow Brook Hunt Club. She was the only woman except Mrs. Kernochan who participated in the chase yesterday. After the accident the riders abandoned the hunt and returned home.

### COCKRAN WILL SPEAK.

Famous Orator Will Address the Carnegie Hall Meeting Sunday.

W. Bourke Cockran, who at great personal inconvenience has postponed his trip to Europe in order to speak at the great Irish mass-meeting at Carnegie Hall next Sunday night, will make the principal appeal for funds for the completion of the Hibernian Institute at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Sixth avenue. In addition to Mr. Cockran the list of speakers contains the names of the most eloquent orators in the city.

Archbishop Farley will preside at the meeting. John D. Crimmins is the honorary treasurer of the fund in the gathering of which the foremost Americans of Irish descent in New York are interested. The new Hibernian Institute, which will be a sort of Irish lyceum, will be the only institution of the character in the United States.

### DISCOVERY OF COFFEE.

Made by an Arabian Shepherd.

Coffee was first discovered in the sixteenth century by an Arabian shepherd, who, having reserved the goats of his flock skip about and display other signs of intoxication after eating the coffee berry, concluded to try its effects on himself, and thus discovered its exhilarating property.

This discovery proved the poor shepherd's undolful, for he indiscriminately used large quantities green for its exhilarating effect, and soon died, poisoned by its use.

In the sixteenth century it was introduced into France, and was used so strong and excessively, particularly by the Parisians, that it was found to injure alike the complexion and digestion. This discovery prevented its general introduction into other European countries for the next century.

Since that period its growth has gradually spread through the civilized world, despite the fact that pain and destruction follow its path, dyspepsia having been hardly known before its introduction. It is a "nervine stimulant" and narcotic poison, and though it no sense a food, is used for its stimulating principle. Caffeine, which excites the nerves unnaturally and wastes the reserve force of the body. Coffee drives the nerves for a time, stimulating them beyond their natural function and using up all their reserve force.

After the first effects are past comes breaking down of the nerve centres and general nervous derangement. Following this in many but not all cases is a long train of misery, among which the principal symptoms are dryness in mouth and throat, headache, biliousness, pains in stomach or abdomen, pain in eyes and head, loss of appetite, dyspepsia and so on through a long list; but the one cause of all the different symptoms is the same.

The nerves have been broken down; their reserve force is gone. Many of the symptoms of poisoning are—extreme nervousness, restlessness, anguish of mind and heart, excessive relaxation of body and brain, gloominess, inability to think correctly, sleeplessness at night, drowsiness in the morning, etc.

A lady from Sebastopol, Cal., writes: "I was a sick and poisoned woman when I began to use Postum Food Coffee in place of coffee, and after two years' steady use I find that Postum soothes the nerves and builds them up, storing reserve force and strength for time of need, enabling one to sleep well, awake refreshed and bright for each day's task; it digests easily, builds and tones up the stomach and also builds up a good, strong brain, ready for any mental strain or toil." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

### SHE ESCAPED THE KNIFE.

Two Months of Peace After Dreadful Suffering.

Operations are becoming a fad: every young man, as soon as he is graduated from a medical college, considers himself capable of undertaking the most serious and complicated surgical work, and hundreds of lives are sacrificed annually to this mad frenzy of incompetent men to rush into work which should only be undertaken as a last resort, and then only by the most experienced and careful surgeons.

It is a pleasure, in view of these facts, to read the following letter from a woman who has been saved from one of these dangerous operations: "I know I should have informed you long ago regarding my case of piles and the good done me, and I believe I am cured. Last December I sent for your book. I have never been bothered since then, and before I had suffered for the last eleven years, and at the time I wrote I had given birth to a child, and they came down with the delivery of the child by the hand. I could not get them back and I suffered everything; and the doctor said nothing but an operation would ever relieve me, but I read of your remedy in our daily newspaper, and I told my husband to get me a box and I would give it a trial before consenting to the knife, and, thanks be to your wonderful medicine, I was saved from the operating table.

"Every person suffering from piles that my husband and myself hear of we recommend your wonderful medicine. I just used one \$1.00 box of Pyramid Pile Cure and two boxes of Pyramid Ointment and two boxes of Pyramid Pills, and I was, I hope, completely cured. If they ever show the slightest return I will certainly get some more medicine, but I hardly think I will need any more, for it will be a year the 8th day of December since I had them, and that makes it ten months and past now. Thanking you again and wishing you abundant success, I remain, Mrs. S. Hodgson, 105 W. 11th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package, or will be mailed to any address, upon receipt of price, by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich. Write this firm for little book describing the cause and cure of Piles.

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SUNDAY WORLD WANTS WORK  
MONDAY MORNING WONDERS.

# Why New Yorkers Are Buying More Fine Jewelry than Ever for This Christmas.

There was a time when it was an event in every New Yorker's life to buy or present a piece of very fine jewelry. The inclination to imitate the example of the most aristocratic people led to the sale of great quantities of gross imitations. Three weeks before Christmas it is apparent at the LAMBERT JEWELRY STORE that almost as much of the finest jewelry made in the world is to be presented this Christmas as the quantity of imitation jewelry presented in years past. The tastes and refinement of people generally have advanced with the growth of prosperity. Ability to judge the best has grown more general. With this has come a fuller realization of the advantage of making jewelry purchases, first, from a house which has jealously protected its reputation and its guarantee for twenty-six years; and, second, from an establishment which manufactures much of its solid gold jewelry, buys much more directly from manufacturers, and imports directly from the European markets its diamonds and precious stones. It is by the removal of every profit between the showcases at the LAMBERT STORE and the diamond cutter's bench in Europe, or the factory on this side, that the best jewelry in New York may be sold at prices unapproached by other retailers. There is no competition whatever with the houses offering goods at prices which are absurd to the competent judge. While our store is open at night it is better to call in the forenoon when the light is best and results most satisfactory. Selections made now may be laid away in our vaults until it is convenient to call for them.

## Diamond Brooch with Eighty-nine Finely Matched Gems.

This fine Platina-topped Crown is only one of our large assortment of Brooches. It is excellent value for the money. The diamonds are quoted at importers' prices, and the mounting is of hand-made solid 14-karat gold. The price is \$350.00.

## Fashion Returns to Solid Gold Fobs.

In the recurrence of styles, year after year, jewelry fashions are harking back to the days of silk knickerbockers and knee buckles. The solid gold fobs of Colonial days are in again with a fullness of vogue which pronounces them the best possible form for frock coat or evening wear. The design shown is one of our many handsome and exclusive solid 14K. gold fobs. It is rose finished, and the cut gives but little idea of its smartness. The price, \$25.00.

## Miniature Brooches with Portraits on Ivory.

The growth of refinement is effectively expressed in the demand for these delicately painted miniature brooches. The frame is scroll work, 14 karat solid gold, set with 12 finely selected diamonds and 12 fine whole pearls, beautifully matched. It is the exclusive product of our artists and artisans. Price, \$150.00.

## Hand-Made, Solid Gold Vest Chain.

The beauty of solid gold is difficult to describe. Its presence is never doubted in a LAMBERT hand-made, 14 karat solid gold vest chain. All of our chains answer the same description—the difference being in style of link and weight.

This one is hand made throughout and guaranteed. In different weights at \$15, \$18, \$22, \$30, \$40 and \$50. The size shown is a \$30 chain.

## Lady's Monogram Gold Watch for \$27.50.

Polished basine hunting case of solid 14 karat gold, with place for monogram on one side. Choice of Waltham, Elgin or Lambert works. No watch of the same value was ever offered at a lower price.

## Diamond Back, Solid Gold Watch for \$25.00.

Solid 14 karat gold, polished basine Hunting Case Watch, with a good diamond in the back and front plain for monogram. Choice of Waltham, Elgin or Lambert works, making a watch with the maximum of elegance and quality for the amount invested.

Jewelry Catalog for the Asking.

"THE CHRISTMAS CORNER."

## Fair Specimens From the Lambert Assortment.

The front of this Plain Oblong 14-k. solid gold locket is perfectly plain except for the well-cut fine diamond in the centre. The back is for monogram. It is one of the neatest lockets shown.

Photographs within these jewelled frames keep fond memories constant.

Round, solid gold locket, Roman finished, with enamelled four-leaf clover in the centre of which reposes a fine diamond.

## Baroque Pearl and Diamond Crescent Brooches.

Each petal of the daisy is a fine American Baroque Pearl—the centre a carefully selected topaz. Brooch on right is solid gold, pearl crescent, enamelled forget-me-nots; two pearls and a fine diamond.

The lower brooch is solid 14-karat gold enamelled crescent with enamelled clover diamond centre. Price, \$12.50.

Large variety of Brooches in solid gold for \$3.75 up to \$15.00.

## Sleeve Links and Dumb Bells Set with Precious Stones.

Only in an establishment which does its own manufacturing and mounting may these link buttons—exact duplicates of those shown at the highest-priced stores in the world and of the same quality—be offered at these prices. We have them set with single diamond, costs \$20. The LAMBERT collection of chains stands in variety, quality and weight ahead of anything else in New York. The Gold Guard or Lorgnette Chains, much affected by fashionable women, are made in lengths of 48 inches, SOLID GOLD, \$9 to \$25.

SOLID GOLD, WITH SEMI-PRECIOUS STONES, \$12 to \$95.

SOLID GOLD, WITH PRECIOUS STONES, \$20 to \$750.

## Signet Rings, A Fashion of the Present Season.

Every season sets its one particular style in the matter of some article of jewelry. This year it is the use of a signet ring. The new fashion has taken hold with a firmness manifested in the daily increasing demand. IMMENSE ASSORTMENT from \$3.75 to \$30. The Signet Ring shown in the cut has finely carved snakes twined about the shank and is solid gold.

## Man's Solid Gold Watch Typical of the Lambert Store.

There is one very unusual thing about the watch here pictured. It is a style of engraving never before attained in a watch within \$10 of the price given. It is an assayed 14-karat solid gold hunting case and guaranteed. There is a choice of Waltham, Elgin or Lambert movement, the Lambert guaran-

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## Gold Guard or Lorgnette Chains.

Etruscan Gold slides set with diamonds. The one with the heart-shape slide, in which the diamond is set flush, costs \$24. The other, with a circular slide, set also with a good diamond, costs \$20. The LAMBERT collection of chains stands in variety, quality and weight ahead of anything else in New York. The Gold Guard or Lorgnette Chains, much affected by fashionable women, are made in lengths of 48 inches, SOLID GOLD, \$9 to \$25.

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## Solid Gold Dragon Brooch From the Lambert Assortment

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## Richly Carved Wood Cuckoo Clocks.

Mention of this clock is not due to any special sale—such things are unknown in the Lambert establishment. The Lambert store has the largest stock of Cuckoo Clocks in the city solely because it finds a ready sale for them at the prices which it is able to quote. This individual clock is 23 1/2 inches high and has genuine brass works, which differentiate it from the cheaper variety of cuckoo clocks encountered in many stores. Cuckoo Clock Catalog for the asking.

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